

# Sequachee Valley News.

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## LOCAL.

We are authorized to announce R. J. Brown, of Sequachee, as candidate for Sheriff for Marion County subject to the will of the people.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. M. Price, Jr., as candidate for Register subject to the will of the people.

## Miscellaneous Advs.

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FOR SALE.—A late model Winchester repeating shotgun. For particulars apply at this office.

Ed King of Whitwell was in town Wednesday.

The late cold snap means fruit next summer.

W. C. Hill and H. Kent went to Victoria Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Anderson of Inman were in town Monday.

C. H. Davidson and R. J. Brown went to Whitwell Thursday.

Everybody, his wife, or his best girl inspected the new bridge Sunday.

Electric soap & a bar at W. C. Adams, Whitwell. Save the penny.

Mr. J. C. Norris of Fayetteville spent Thursday night in Sequachee.

Only seventeen more days of winter, then look out for spring, gentle spring.

Best English tea on the market 24c per lb. W. C. Adams, Whitwell.

Spring and Summer goods in all styles and varieties at the Peoples' Store, Victoria.

E. D. Brophy of Victoria, kindly thought of the News Monday, as did A. H. Kilgore recently.

Mr. W. L. Melcher was in Jasper in attendance on the Chancery Court Monday and Tuesday.

We pay the highest market price for all kinds of produce.

W. C. Adams, Whitwell.

The boys are talking about forming a baseball team soon and trying their luck on the diamond.

Don't forget we are selling the best calico on the market 5c per yd. W. C. Adams, Whitwell.

The Epworth League gave an entertainment at the church Sunday night, which was attended by only a few.

The best selected and nicest line of Spring and Summer dry goods ever shown in Victoria will arrive this week at the Peoples' Store.

Before buying elsewhere see the immense new stock of Dry Goods just arrived at the Peoples' Store, Victoria.

J. M. Carnutt, of Globe, Arizona, arrived here Thursday last looking well. He comes on a temporary visit, and will return west in about ten days.

Rev. J. A. Darr, of Jasper, conducted services at Owen church Sunday and had a good attendance. Next Sunday Rev. Jacob Houts will officiate at 11 a.m.

J. C. Gross, the hustling manager of the Peoples' Store, Victoria, was down to see the new bridge Sunday. He was accompanied by several other Victoria people.

Now is the time if you want good grapes to get the vines from Pryor & Wagner—the best and cheapest grape vines ever offered in this Valley. Buy while there is a chance.

The new railroad bridge seems to be a point of interest for our citizens now and Sunday about all or nearly all the people of this place went to look at it in one's, two's, and three's.

Most, 75c per lb. lard, 75c per lb. sugar, 17c per lb. for \$1.00; good brooms, 9c; Northern seed potatoes, \$1.15 per bushel; Onion sets, 30c per gallon. W. C. Adams, Whitwell.

The Sales of Hood's Sarsaparilla are the largest in the world because the cures by Hood's Sarsaparilla are wonderful, perfect, permanent.

Hood's Pills are the best family cathartic and liver medicine. 35c.

We were sorry to hear of the indisposition of Mrs. Spears, the mother of the Spears brothers of this place, who resides with her son, J. A. Spears, but last reports are that she is better.

R. J. Brown was off bright and early Monday morning on his candidacy for the nomination for sheriff and he is much gratified at the kind reception he is receiving at the hands of the people.

The Memphis & Charleston railroad passed into the hands of the Southern R. R. Co. at midnight, Feb. 28. Now, what do the 'know-it-alls' say? The Southern is in possession and have means and ability to run a railroad, and they will do it. We want it through the Valley and we believe it will be done.

No, Irene, we would not advise the use of paint or whitewash on your face. Better a good, rosy complexion than an artificial one. The Bible tells us of one who painted her face and looked out of a window and came to grief.

Mr. G. H. Rogers, of Jasper, who was to have filled the appointment of Rev'd Jacob Houts at Owen church recently writes as expressing his regret at not being able to keep the appointment but promises to make good the omission later.

The success of the last Box Supper causes the promoters to announce another supper, either Saturday or Sunday week. In our report of that held on Saturday last we omitted to say that Mr. P. A. Butler and Mr. William Robertson contributed to the entertainment which was much appreciated.

Scene—a buggy and two strangers. The News reporter on his broncho "Charley."

Strangers (in chorus).—Is there any hotel between here and Jasper? News Reporter.—Yes, go to the Hotel Marion in Sequachee, and you will get the best accommodation in the Valley. All visitors say so.

Tuesday afternoon we are gratified to receive a visit from Mr. J. G. Cicco, of Nashville, who is visiting the valley in the interest of immigration. It was his first visit to place and he expressed great pleasure and satisfaction at what he heard and saw. He passed up the Valley to Pikeville.

We are truly sorry to know that Capt. Frater is not gaining strength as he hoped. His back troubles him greatly causing sleepless nights and constant pain, often being obliged to sleep in a chair. Our sympathies are with him. Such injuries as he received are hard to treat and the Captain's age is against his strained muscles resuming their normal condition speedily.

The News is always independent in politics and proposes to be. Mr. James M. Price, Jr., of Whitwell, has been announced by us as a candidate for Register for weeks, and he has a perfect right to be a candidate. With this fact existing it seems strange that our contemporary at Jasper should refer to him as a "Mr. Price, of Whitwell," unless he was at that time suffering from impairment of vision and failing to recognize Mr. Price, thus summarily disposed of Mr. Price. Give every candidate a fair show.

It is, or should be, the highest aim of every merchant to please his customers; and that the enterprising drug firm of Meyers & Ehlmann, of Stirling, Ill., is doing so, is proven by the following, from Mr. Ehlmann: "In my sixteen years' experience in the drug business I have ever seen or sold or tried a medicine that gave as good satisfaction as Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy." Sold by Brown & Graham.

So kind of our contemporary to call attention to the fact of the supremacy of the News as being "the" paper of this Valley. This is just exactly what the SEQUACHEE VALLEY NEWS is said to be, for it is the only complete paper printed and published in the Valley, and for daring to print a whole paper here we have no apology to make to anyone. The people of the Valley say our paper is the best, and what the people say must be true. Happily the News is for the advancement of the whole Valley and encourages enterprise, is independent and as Sequachee is the best place in the Valley, believes it should have the best paper, untrammeled and unbiased for Good Schools, Good Roads, Good Morals.

Good for Life Saving Service Only. The telephone lines between the United States life-saving stations along the New Jersey coast will no longer be used for any other than official business, orders having been issued from the department headquarters to that effect. This will end the rivalry between several prominent ministers, who have from time to time been preaching to the crews of the stations by the aid of the phone.

Cost of Elephant Transportation. Elephant on Indian railways pay at the rate of six cents a mile. The baggage cars have compartments for dogs, cats, guinea pigs, rabbits and monkeys.

Antes to Mexico. One of the natives of Mexico there are, according to Lantholm, about 150,000 survivors of the Aztec race.

## COASTING ON MILE HILL.

By CLARENCE HENRY PEARSON.

We pause before we reach the height To view the landscape fair, And with a sense of calm delight Inhale the wine-like air. Mark! from above us comes the noise Of childish voices shrill, A merry brood of girls and boys Are coasting down Mile Hill.

See, on the front the pilot rides His face with pride elate, Less brightly looks the man who guides.

The mighty ship of state; He knows his comrades all rely Upon his nerve and skill, It needs a practiced hand and eye To steer adown Mile Hill.

The double runner comes apace Straight as an arrow might, The glow of health on every face And every eye alight; And when the laughing crew glides by

I feel my pulses thrill As in the days when you and I Went coasting on Mile Hill.

I yield to memory's spell and lo! The voices that I hear Are those that in the long ago Fell off upon my ear. As I, despite the almanac, A happy youngster still, With all my mates am back A-coasting on Mile Hill.

Once more the keen air smites my face As down the roadway white I sweep the hill from crown to base In swift and bird-like flight, With tingling nerves and heart aglow I drink my very fill Of that wild rapture those may know Who coast upon Mile Hill.

I waken all too soon, alas! And sadly turn away, The roads along which I must pass Are far less smooth to-day, And Fate will use it again for me Joy's crystal chalice fill As in the golden days when we Went coasting on Mile Hill. —Concord, N. H., Granite Monthly.

## FAITH.

By CLARENCE HENRY PEARSON.

Faith was at the evening meetin' So of course I had to come Just to see that Isom Keatin Didn't get to see her him. An I got that meek an' meachin, Wishin' Parson Kuggs 'd stop, Mearin' mighty little preschin', Worsin' hisser bannet top.

All ter snort these yer words ketchin' me, "Faith's a source of pure delight." That yer sentiment done fetched me; Thanks I, "Parson, you are right," "Faith," says he, "is shore a treasure, That you ans is lost 'thout; Faith is riches beyond measure, Then why will ye live in doubt?"

Never had no sermonisin' Strike me like that did afore, Alus hated wuss'n pisen. Ter go in the church house door, Talked it over—Faith an' me did, Walkin' hum 'th none ter hear, An' she 'lowed 'twas Faith I needed An' I've had her nigh a year. —Detroit Free Press.

I desire to attest to the merits of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as one of the most valuable and efficient preparations on the market. It broke an exceedingly dangerous cough for me in 24 hours, and in gratitude therefor, I desire to inform you that I will never be without it and you should feel proud of the high esteem in which your Remedies are held by people in general. It is the only remedy in ten thousand. Success to it. O. R. DOWN, Editor Democrat, Albion, Ind. For sale by Brown & Graham.

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## Monteagle Briefs.

Miss Jennie Holcomb is home on a visit to spend Sunday returning to Decherd Monday morning.

Miss Martha Lowrie and Miss Esther Francis spent Sunday with Miss Junia Holcomb.

The Mission Band gave an entertainment Sunday night. The subject was Temperance. The program was good and enjoyed by all.

Mrs. J. M. Long has been very sick lately but is a little better at present.

Miss Lucinda Martin is sick.

Brother Gillan preached here Sunday to a large congregation.

Yellow flowers were all the rage here Sunday. All that didn't have any wanted some.

Mr. Metcalf spent the day at Mr. Smith's Sunday.

Opossums are getting quite tame on the mountain. Miss Mary Smith caught one in the house the other day and was heard to exclaim: "Oh that men were as plentiful!"

A young man while racing around Mr. Holcomb's store was heard to exclaim: "Oh Miss Fanny my gassel!"

Mr. Jim Bradshaw has gone to Beach Grove to start a dry goods store. We wish you success, Jim.

Prof. Bourland was in town Saturday talking bridge.

Miss Peromean will return from Florida about the 5th of March to open the house and be ready for the school to open at Fairmount March 24.

Hello, Victoria! Come back some more.

## A CRAZY LOON.

## Caroline Chapel.

The meeting at this place is well attended and will continue this week and perhaps longer. We have had a good meeting so far, there being some three or four conversions and we hope great good may be accomplished.

Mrs. M. E. Alder is visiting her daughter Mrs. Nathan Ellis, of Mullins Cove.

Miss Allie Griffith and Mattie Rogers were visiting at W. G. Spangler's Thursday.

C. C. Alder went to Whitwell Saturday.

Preston Mitchell of Inman attended church here last Sunday.

H. Vinsant went to Jasper Friday.

Miss Nancy Rogers of Victoria attended church here last Sunday.

Dewitt and James Sharpe of Whitwell were down among friends and relatives last Sunday.

Geo. Mark Brown of Victoria attended church here Sunday.

Rev. Oury of Jasper is coming back Monday to assist Bro. Connor in his meeting. Bro. Oury was with us a part of last week and we are glad to have him come again.

William Alder says there is hope for him yet.

In the spring the human body needs assistance to throw off the stagnation produced by winter diet. As the temperature rises under the growing heat of the sun's rays we feel tired, half sick and low in spirits, because the blood is sluggish and full of impurities. Dr. J. H. McLean's Strengthening Cordial and Blood Purifier is a reliable spring remedy to invigorate the body and give tone to the digestion. Price 50c and \$1 a bottle. For sale by R. J. Brown.

On the morning of Feb. 20, 1895, I was sick with rheumatism, and lay in bed until May 21st, when I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The first application of it relieved me almost entirely from the pain and the second afforded complete relief. In a short time I was able to be up and about again. —A. T. MOREAUX, Luverne, Minn. Sold by Brown & Gabel.

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